## House Resolution No. 4019

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives occasionally pause to applaud the career achievements of those individuals who have retired from the field of education; and

Whereas, the Mound City R-II School District lost a valuable member of its faculty with the retirement of Patty Davis who devoted several years of her life to the education of this state's young citizens through tireless endeavors as an educator; and

Whereas, Patty Davis taught family and consumer science for eleven years at Mound City R-II, where she was held in high esteem as an educator who demonstrated considerable competence and remarkable degrees of compassion and understanding; and

Whereas, deeply committed to the great cause of learning, Patty Davis worked for ten years as a substitute teacher at Fairfax R-III and Mound City R-II prior to assuming her responsibilities as a family and consumer science teacher at Mound City R-II; and

Whereas, Patty Davis watched her pupils grow, develop, and mature through the knowledge she imparted to them both as a teacher and as a friend; and

Whereas, Patty Davis earned a Bachelor's degree in home economics and early childhood and the family and a Bachelor's degree in education at Northwest Missouri State University in Maryville; and

Whereas, Patty Davis has been blessed with the love and support of a wonderful family whose members include her husband, Sheldon; one son and daughter-in-law, Derek and Dawn Davis of Fairfax; and one daughter, Courtney of Fairfax:

**Now, therefore, be it resolved** that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-third General Assembly, join the Mound City R-II School District in expressing appreciation for the unparalleled service that Patty Davis rendered to Missouri's children and in wishing her the long, fruitful, and enjoyable retirement that she so justly deserves; and

**Be it further resolved** that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Patty Davis, as a measure of our esteem for her.

Offered by
Representative Brad Lager
District No. 4
I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-third General Assembly, First Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 4019, adopted July 18, 2005.
Rod Jetton Speaker